

Class Lesson Plan

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Thursday, Sep 22

Topic / Unit: Chapter 3: Confirmed in Faith

Objectives

TSW:

- identify that groups are held together by common beliefs
- explain how God gave the Law to teach Israel and us how to live as his people
- describe what it means to believe in God as Father and Creator of all things
- explain what it means to believe in the Holy Spirit and the Church
- identify and understand the marks of the Church: one, holy, catholic, apostolic
- discuss the role of Mary in the Church
- understand life everlasting
- identify that the Nicene Creed contains the main truths of our faith

Resources

Text pages 21-22

CCC # 253-260 The Trinity, 396-409 Original sin & consequences, 813-865 Marks of the Church, 1020-1060 Death, Judgment, life everlasting

Diocesan Standards:

1.2.5, 1.3.3-1.3.7, 1.3.2, 1.3.9, 1.3.10, 1.4.1, 1.4.4, 1.5.3, 1.5.4, 1.5.5, 1.5.9

Procedures

1-Prayer, attendance, lunch count

2-Introduce chapter 3 - pg. 22 - do activity TM 21 Reaching An Agreement: break into small groups and choose best movie star, best pop singer, best athlete; join some groups and choose one again; join as one group and choose one.

- discuss ease of making choices in different groups

- discuss how they made a choice i.e. some stepped back, some didn't

participate, some took the lead, some just took over

- share final choices

- discuss what makes one a part of a group

- lead into the idea that we are part of a group of like minded "faith"

followers

3-Using the power point slides 1 & 2 recall what we have studied so far

4-No special assignment today

Evaluation

Informal participation, classwork

***this lesson went very well. The students got very involved but also discovered a few things about themselves in group situations. They really tried to recall the items on slide 2. Fourth hour didn't finish the final two points.

I would do this again with either group.